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I hereby appoint William Stoffel, registration number 39,390, as my associate attorney in this case. His telephone number is (215) 564-2258.

Please continue to direct all correspondence in this case to the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,


 A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "SA".

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